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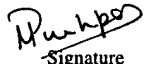
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This Amendment is filed in response to the Final Office Action of July 28, 2004. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of this application as putting the claims in condition for allowance or, in the alternative, for better consideration on appeal.

Status of the Claims

Claims 1-14 are pending in the present application. Claims 1-14 stand rejected.